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Attorney Docket No.: CSA 2 0114

Serial No.: 09/808,524	Filing Date: March 14, 2001	Examiner: F. Saether
Group Art Unit: 3627	Invention: SELF-PIERCING FASTENER AND METHOD FOR ATTACHING WEATHERSEALS	

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment, along with a Request for a Three Month Extension of Time in the above-identified application. The fees have been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	20	Minus	20	0 x	\$18 (large)	\$00.00
Indep. Claims	3	Minus	3	0 x	\$84 (large)	\$00.00

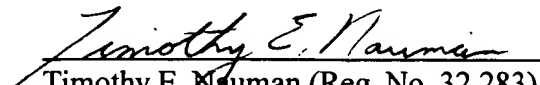
- ☒ No additional claim fees are required.
- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$920.00** is attached for a three-month extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
**FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN,
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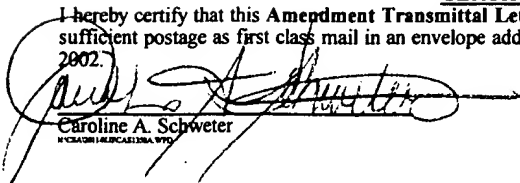
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IN RE APPLICATION OF : DAVID H. BERRY, et al.
FOR : **SELF-PIERCING FASTENER AND
METHOD FOR ATTACHING
WEATHERSEALS (As Amended)**
SERIAL NO. : 09/808,524
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 21, 2001, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please replace the title with the following new title:

-- SELF-PIERCING FASTENER AND METHOD FOR ATTACHING
WEATHERSEALS--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1 and 16 as follows:

Sub B. (Amended) A self-tapping fastening peg for securing a weatherseal to a vehicle body structure, the weatherseal having a base region defined by a surface adapted to sealingly engage the vehicle body structure, and a first cavity defined by a rib spaced a first dimension from the surface, and a bulbous seal portion, the fastening peg comprising:

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